











By C. A. VOIGHT

## SPORTS

### BELIEVE HIGH TEAM EASY; UNIVERSITY HIGHS CONFIDENT

Wisconsin Preps From Madison Have Fond Hopes of Wallowing Blues at Local Gym Friday Night.

According to Madison papers, the Wisconsin high school basketball team of Madison expect to give the Janesville five a decisive beating on the local floor Friday night. Last Friday evening the university prep team journeyed to Stoughton and overcame the Swedes a triumph by a 30 to 25 score. This score indicates that Stoughton are very strong, or that the Madison players are not as good as at first rated, which tells that Beloit is not the team critics have made them out to be.

The report in the Capital City papers also states that the Wisconsin high school team played a great game, showing an improvement of team play over past games. If this is the case, the Bower City players have a pretty good chance of winning Friday night's game.

Janesville is ready, with eyes open, to give the Madison team their hardest game of the year. Fans who saw last year's contest with the Madison high five know that Janesville can play a great game on her home floor. Janesville fans also know that the team this year has improved at least fifty per cent since a month ago. The Evansville defeat was expected all along, and with their full playing strength in fine condition, Curtis hopes to down Wisconsin high school decisively.

Janesville has an open date on Feb. 26th. On March the fifth, Jefferson comes here for a game. On March the 12th, Janesville goes to the Milton tournament where they will meet some of the best teams in this section. March 18th, has been left open, in case Lawrence college authorities outline an elimination schedule that involves Janesville playing a couple of games.

The record set by the Bower City quint thus far this season is as follows:

Janesville, 9; Alumni, 18.  
Janesville, 23; Lake Mills, 14.  
Janesville, 31; Monroe, 9.  
Janesville, 35; Rockford, (Ill.) 41.  
Janesville, 22; Waukesha, 21.  
Janesville, 11; Evansville, 19.

### CHAMPION FREDDIE WELSH TO MAKE WEIGHT FOR WHITE

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE)  
Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 18.—Freddie Welsh, world's champion, is still a legitimate lightweight and not a wel-

terweight, as his envious challengers have claimed. Welsh can make 135 pounds at 3 o'clock as easily now as he did when he fought Willie Ritchie for the title and won it at London last summer. Welsh is going to prove that he can make the weight when he meets Charley White of Chicago, in a return battle at the Milwaukee Auditorium next Thursday night. Welsh, through his manager, Harry Polak, has posted a forfeit of \$500 with the matchmaker of the Cream City Athletic club by which Welsh agrees to weigh in at 135 pounds at 2 o'clock the day of the contest. This will be the first time Welsh has made weight for an opponent since he won the title. In all his matches since he became champion, Welsh has always insisted on fighting at catchweights. The result has been that he has had from five to ten pounds the best of it in the weights. In the coming match with White, however, Welsh will be in three pounds of the weight of the challenger. When these boys fought in Milwaukee last November, Welsh outweighted White by nearly ten pounds, yet in spite of this big handicap White put up a splendid fight and was credited by many papers with having held the champion even.

### HE'LL BE GRIFFMAN THREE MORE YEARS



Joe Boshling.  
Joe Boshling has signed a three-year contract with Manager Clark Griffith.

### BOXING PROSPERING IN CITY OF HAVANA

Cuba City Promises to Become One of Leading Centers in the World in the Glove Game During Winter.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE)  
(By Hal Sheridan.)  
New York, Feb. 18.—New York as a boxing center is going to be handed a K. O. wallop in the near future if the plans of Havana promoters don't fall through.

Returning impresarios bring stories of how the natives, down there are simply crazy about the glove game and are willing, yet anxious, to show their shiekles through the box office window with astonishing regularity to see the boys perform. Added to the patronage of the natives, they say, is that of a great many American sportsmen who spend their winters there.

Be that as it may, it is a cinch if the promoters there keep offering the kind of money they have started out to, these United States are going to be as barren of pug as Cleveland is of ball players.

In the Young Ahearn-Willie Lewis battle a few days ago, the first fight struggle staged in the new campaign, each received \$2,000. If the promoters can pay this class of boxers two thousand per each and get away, what, oh what, would they pay a pair of champions or real contenders.

Eastern fighters are already beginning to prick up their ears. That two thousand noise listens so awfully sweet to their battered ears and if the promoters keep it up Cuba is going to be as full of boxers and alleged boxers as Ban Johnson is of expletives against the Feds.

H. Connolly Pollack, whose chief aim in life seems to be keeping his champion, Freddie Welsh, from getting into a decision fight, is out with a new announcement. He says after Welsh and Willie Ritchie settle their little dispute at Madison Square Garden March 11, he is going to send Freddie Welsh against all comers in twenty-round decision battles anywhere the promoters will offer enough kake. Promises and announcements which effect have emanated from Welsh and his manager at regular intervals since the Welshman won his crown, but up to date they have managed to side step all encounters where there was a chance for the Britisher to drop his title.

### MANROSS VOLLEY BALL PLAYERS LEAD LEAGUE BY SAFE MARGIN AT Y. M. C. A.

The volley ball team in the business men's department at the Y. M. C. A. captained by D. D. Manross, have had an easy time of it this year in the league. Even yesterday with only two regular players, they substituted three other men and won handily from Wilcox's bunch, by a count of 21 to 11. Wilcox has his full team there but luck was against him Friday afternoon. Richards will meet Chase. Following is the standing of the league after yesterday's match:

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Manross	9	2	.818
Chase	8	5	.615
Richards	4	7	.363
Wilcox	4	8	.333

Spanish Province of Almeria.  
The province of Almeria lies in the southernmost part of Spain bordering on the Mediterranean sea. It comprises 3,360 square miles, and in 1909 had a population of 359,013. Almeria, with a population of over 50,000, is its capital and principal seaport.

### SYMPATHY IMPELLED HIM TO KILL EIGHT



Frederic Mors (photographed since being declared "mentally unwell").

Frederic Mors, the nurse at the German Odd Fellows' Home in Yonkers, N. Y., who has confessed to having killed eight aged inmates of the home, said that sympathy impelled him to follow this course, as the persons he killed were in great pain. Mors has been declared "mentally unwell" by physicians at Bellevue Hospital, New York city.

### TO FIGHT FOR THIRD PLACE FRIDAY NIGHT

Methodists and Catholics are to Stage Preliminary Battle to Janesville University High Contest.

Without a doubt, one of the best games ever played in the new church league in this city, will be staged on Friday night, Feb. 19, as a preliminary-raiser to the Janesville-University High battle, between the Methodist and Catholic church teams. Both teams are to fight for third place in the league, and are determined to take that position.

The Methodists will appear on the floor in full strength for the first time this year. Platten and Beard will play at guards, Fowler at center, and Capt. Williams and Brownell at forwards. The Catholics will lineup as follows: Mooney, Davey and Viney, guards; McCarthy, center; Welsh, Birmingham, Kober and Capt. Kennedy as forwards.

The championship contest in the church league will all probability will be played on Monday afternoon of next week. Both the Presbyterians and Congregationalists are confident, and many fear that the former five will upset all hope and trim the title. The title conflict next week will close the second season of the league, after which an elaborate banquet will be held and the cup awarded the winning team. It has not been decided as yet where the affair will be held.

The league standing to date follows:

	W	L	Pct.
Presbyterians	3	0	1.000
Congregationalists	3	0	1.000
Methodists	1	2	.333
Catholics	1	2	.333
Baptists	0	4	.000

### Sport Snap Shots MORRIS-MILLER

One of the choicest plums in the world of fiction for the present season has fallen to the lot of Cal Delaney, Cleveland featherweight, who is all but signed up to box George Chaney, the Baltimore boy, for a ten-round bout probably Washington's birthday before a Baltimore club. The weight will be 124 at 5 o'clock or 130 at 8 o'clock. Delaney's manager, Sam Davis, Delaney's manager, has received a letter from Ben Bletzer, who handles the club, saying the match was clinched, but the promoters were looking for a suitable hall in which to hold the show.

John McGraw was fanning recently and declared himself as not in the least superstitious. "This stuff about jinxes and all the rest of it doesn't mean anything to me," he said. But then he remembered something, and modified his statement. "I'll admit," he remarked, "that there was something which happened in a world's series that I took as a lucky sign, and it came through, too. It was back in 1905, and we were playing the Philadelphia Athletics. Coakley was in there pitching. As Mack had been a little slow in selecting him, his name was not put up on the scoreboard until the first inning was under way. Two men were out when Mike Donlin came and he met the first ball Coakley pitched and smashed it on a line into right field. It hit the name Coakley on the scoreboard and knocked it off the fence. Yes, we knocked Coakley out of the box two innings later."

In the three consecutive years in which Detroit won American league pennants, Charlie Schmidt was Manager "Jenny" first-string catcher. Although not the best batsman in the country, Charlie was a hard worker, willing and conscientious. He could hit, and he could also throw. Detroit may get Charlie Schmidt's brother, "The Kid" Walter, and he is now a member of the San Francisco club. The Federals were after Walter last season, and he turned down all offers from the outlaws, and a word from the San Francisco club has promised to send him to Detroit. Walter preferred a job under the same man for whom his brother Charlie caught.

Jimmy Sheppard, who played on the Chicago Cubs when they landed pennants, is one of the veterans of the game who is looking for a baseball berth. Jimmy thought he was fixed for the coming season as manager of the Cleveland American Association club, a position which he held last season, but some few weeks ago he was notified that he would not be retained, and that Knight would take his place. "If I had been given my release a few weeks sooner," said Sheppard, "I could have easily landed a good job. I could have got the position of managing a club in the Pacific Coast league, there were vacancies in San Francisco, Los Angeles and Oakland. If nothing turns up I guess I'll have to put in the winter in the Susquehanna next summer."

At the time Ora Morningstar was compelled to resign from the Champion Billiard Players' league on account of the illness of his wife, the billiard fans all over the country commenced to discuss the possibilities of the twenty-year-old Rock Island youth, Marcus Catton, who at that time was still a member of the league. The Rock Island youngster was teamed with Koji Yamada the first week and to the surprise of all defeated the Jap four out of six contests that were bitterly fought, as the scores of those games showed. He is upholding his father's reputation by winning games when he has seemingly been hopelessly beaten by

making phenomenal hair-raising finishes and defeating his opponents by small margins.

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Paying the cost of the baseball war is a task certain magnates are putting up to the baseball fans. Joe Lannin, owner of the Red Sox and Providence teams, says the war is costing so much money he believes the day will soon be at hand when the big league clubs will ask \$2 for the best seats. "I know personally that more than \$1,000,000, one backer alone dropping \$850,000," he said. "I cannot continue if the sport is to live."

### CHAMPION TROY FIVE WIN ANOTHER VICTORY

New York Five Defeats Morris Specials of Milwaukee Last Night by Score of 39 to 27.

One more victory was added to the list of the Troy, New York, basketball team, when they defeated the Morris Specials at Milwaukee last night, by a score of 39 to 27. The Milwaukee five were outclassed during the first half, but made a strong bid for victory in the last session. The Troy team were masters at basket shooting, playing a clean and fast game. The members of the Lakota Cardinal team, after seeing the game that the Milwaukee team met with, declared they would have to speed up Saturday night when they clash with the Troy bunch. On Friday night the full team will journey to Monroe to play the Monroe Cardinals, but this game is not expected to be a hard one and will furnish a good practice for the Janesville for the night following. The summary of the Troy-Morris Special score is as follows:

Specials—O'Connor, R. F.; Grote, 1. 1. Textor, C. M.; O'Connor, 1. 5; Dunn, 2. 7.  
Troy—Ingens, 1. 1; Mueller, R. F.; Leary, C.; Hagerty, R. G.; Sullivan, 1. 2. Goals—Troy: Ingens, 6; Mueller, 2; Leary, 6; Hagerty, 5; Specials: O'Connor, 5; Grote, 5; Textor, O'Connor.  
Free throw—Ingens, Grote, 3. Fouls—Leary, Hagerty, Grote, Textor.  
Referee—Morris.

### SUBMARINE PERIL FOR NEUTRAL SHIPS FRIDAY.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE)  
New York, Feb. 18.—Merchant vessels which sailed for British ports from New York, today did so at their peril, the German order notifying neutrals that waters surrounding the British Isles are in the war zone, going into effect at midnight tonight. Danger of attack by submarines made many Americans, who already had engaged passage chary of sailing, the scores were cancelled at the last moment.

### CHENAMAN AT CHICAGO UNIVERSITY IS WHAT'S CALLED "A VERSATILE ATHLETE"



Wah Kai Chang, a Chinese student at the University of Chicago, is an all around athlete. He is not only a member of the track team, but is a fast baseball and football player as well.

The Medicine of Life.  
A faithful friend is the medicine of life.—Ecclesiastes.

### SULLIVAN NAMES FOUR GREATEST PITCHERS

I have caught many great pitchers during my career in the major leagues and in passing out I want to pay my tribute to four I consider foremost in their particular styles of delivery. Kid Nichols of the old Boston Nationals possessed the greatest speed; Ed Walsh was the user of the spibal hurlers; Jim Scott tops all the curve ball experts, and for all-around mixing and slow ball delivery there never was a man who excelled "Doc" White.

Dangerous Household Pets.  
It is commonly supposed that the danger from hydrophobia comes from the roving, ownerless, stray dogs of the city. This is not the real truth. Most of the victims of hydrophobia are bitten by house dogs or cats that are household pets.

WINTER DOUBLES WORK.  
In summer the work of eliminating poisons and acids from the blood is helped by perspiration. In cold weather, with little out door work or exercise to cause sweating, the kidneys have to do double work. Foley Kidney Pills help overworked, weak and diseased kidneys to filter and cast out of the blood the waste matter that causes pains in sides or back, rheumatism, lumbago, stiffness of joints, sore muscles and other ills resulting from improper elimination.—W. T. Sherer.



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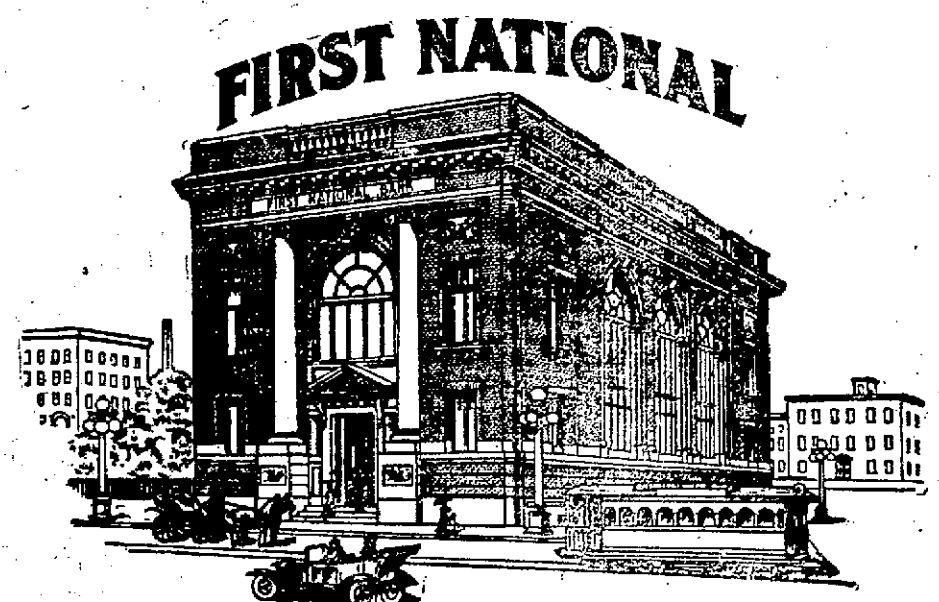
It is a ready chew, cut fine and short shred so that you won't have to grind on it with your teeth. Grinding on ordinary candied tobacco makes you spit too much.

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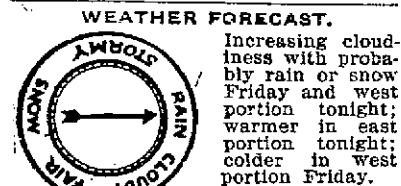
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1915.

(Seal) O. C. HOMBERGER, Notary Public.

My commission expires July 26, 1915.

## PAPER GALORE.

Stored in barns, leaky warehouses, even in unknown places, some twenty years' supply of print paper, purchased by the state for some of its progressive experiments, is waiting use.

Even the books of the secretary of state do not show how much paper is really on hand and the supply is roughly guessed at. Stop and think of that! Forty to fifty thousand dollars' worth of print paper, bought, the Lord knows for what purpose, stored, the Lord knows where, for which the state is paying sixteen hundred dollars a year storage, on hand to further an experimental form of government at the expense of the taxpayers. It is not enough to unearth twenty thousand dollars' worth of useless printed material in the basement of the new capitol, material which is out of date, for which there was not a use in the first place, but which cost the state thousands of dollars, being sold for common junk. No, this was not enough, but now the investigation committee finds this print paper. The printing clerk, a pressman by the way, not a printer at all, appointed for political purposes, admits that the paper was bought because it was expected to be used, but was not. Think of that! Think of the waste of state money! Think of the cost of reform spelled with a big "R"? When they probe deeper they will find even worse conditions. This paper item will pale to insignificance when the final count is made. The offices of the state treasurer, the attorney general and the secretary of state, all held by anti-administration men, are supposed to be responsible for the purchase of these supplies. If the heads of these departments can clear their skirts of the actual purchase by laying the blame on the purchasing clerk they will show themselves sadly remiss in their duty by not knowing what was actually being done in the department they were supposed to be watch-dogs over. However this is but a part and parcel of the whole system of state extravagance that is being uncovered. It means that the investigating committee is going to make recommendations for some radical legislation that is going to wipe out any opportunity for loss or abuse of public funds and betrayal of public trusts by officials drawing state pay. One of the staunch adherents of the last political regime is now just finishing his term in Waupun for wrong doing and it would be a surprising event if there should be some other accusations made of men who were not implicated before, but whose skirts are by no means free from suspicion. It is a criminal waste of public funds and the one discovery of actual waste merely means the unearthing of a lot of rat-holes that have been put up and painted over in hopes of hiding the conditions that really exist.

## NO REAL REASON.

There is no real reason for getting unusually excited over the German admiralty order that became effective last night. It is three-quarters bluff, for what it proposes to accomplish is not within the powers of Germany to do. Paper blockades are not new in the history of warfare and international law does not recognize them. Of course one will say that this war is being conducted on the part of England and the allies without regard to law. Others insist that Germany has ignored the law and its requirements. Still other adherents of the German emperor will insist that the Russian does not understand the meaning of

law, while as to the Serbs—pough! they know nothing.

However the paper blockade became effective, "on paper," last night. An underwater blockade it is to be. This is unthinkable. It is a dream that even Jules Verne, in his "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea," did not dream of. His Captain Nemo never anticipated such a condition. Of course it will have a certain military value to Germany. It will incite its citizenship to further their efforts to bring about a victory, this tale that England would starve them out. It can not help but have a similar effect upon the recruiting of Lord Kitchen-er's second, yes his third army, that he will drill and place in the field later.

That a few roving submarines can destroy the shipping of a nation that has twice the number of submarines that the German navy possesses is simply preposterous to imagine. It is a wild dream of the imagination—too wild to be given credence.

If the German cruisers and battleships dare come out from their stronghold to confront the English men of war waiting anxiously for them, then why imagine that a mere paper blockade by a German minister of marine, meant simply to scare a people already dreading destruction by air flights of unknown machines, should affect the world as a whole. It is simply ridiculous to imagine that England can be blockaded and starved out in the way threatened. Let the blockade go on. But also beware that no American ships are sunk.

## WELL REPRESENTED.

Rock county is well represented in the present legislature by L. C. Whitely, speaker of the assembly, and A. J. Winesgar of Beloit, member from the second district. Both men are thoroughly awake to the needs and requirements of the county they represent and both willing and anxious to be of service. Nor is this connection should Laurence E. Cunningham of Beloit, senator representing the twenty-second senatorial district, comprising Rock and Walworth counties, be forgotten. Mr. Cunningham is equally interested in his constituents and their wishes and will be found always on the firing line in behalf of their interests. Speaking of the district one must not overlook George L. Harrington of Walworth, the only assemblyman from that county, whose interests are identical with those of Rock county, and will not be found wanting. Few counties and few senatorial districts in the state, have as efficient men at Madison this winter alive to the needs and interests of their constituents. The voters are to be congratulated in their selection of representatives.

Talking about baseball. This idea of placing a league team in Janesville should meet with ready response from the citizens generally. If it can be accomplished for three thousand dollars it is an experiment worth trying. Only for heaven's sake if we go into the game let us have a team that will be in the first few contenders, not a tail-end.

One day we read of the great victories of the allies and the next of the bravery of the Germans in capturing this or that French and English line of trenches. Go to it gentlemen. Perhaps Lord Kitcheners was right when he said the fighting had not yet begun, but still we are inclined to agree with Sherman that "War is Hell."

It is refreshing to read a dispatch that amidst all this war alarm, an English expedition for the exploration of the South Polar regions is really at work. It makes one wish for the stirring days of peace once more when bread was five cents a loaf and wheat did not sell for a dollar sixty or more.

Assemblyman George P. Hambrecht's bill making Lincoln's birthday a legal holiday in Wisconsin, has passed through the committee room booked for passage. It is a belated honor to one of the great men of the country that Wisconsin can do well to respect.

The baseball teams have begun their spring training trips, so soon we may expect something else other than the horrors of the battlefield to read about. It will be the slaughter of the Yankees by the Yorrigans, or something like that.

Evidently that presidential "ship purchase measure" is one of the class of ships that "can not pass either in the night or day," considering all reports to be true.

## On the Spur of the Moment

ROY K. MOULTON

The Day's News.

Wheat is going up adding.

And the farmers are all writing for new touring cars and such.

Everything is gold they touch.

Dollar wheat once gained attention.

Now it is too small to mention.

Mortgages are passing now.

Millionaires, they guide the plow.

Goddess Fortune is the charmer.

Who's transformed the plodding farmer.

To a dude who has, perchance, fifteen pairs of Sunday pants.

Marble bathrooms in the dwelling.

Bank accounts forever swelling.

Gone forever is the "rubber."

Gone also the rural "boob."

Wheat's the thing that's made the killing.

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The moratorium I sing. It is, indeed, a glorious thing. A nation has its debts to pay. But blithely debt postpones the day. Nor can a creditor collect. He must be calm and circumspect. The moratorium, you know, is sacred and by all considered so. A nation shoves its debts some years ahead.

You ask for dough, they give their word instead. If common folk could do as nations do, 'T would be a wondrous thing and that is true. I tell you I would sure be going some. Could I declare a moratorium.

Impossible. The gentleman who invented the remark to the general effect that there is nothing impossible in this world, never tried to—

Unswayed, the top of a pickle jar with his hand.

Have a good night's sleep in a ham-mock.

Get rid of red ants in the pantry. Find a neighborhood that is entirely congenial—one without a phonograph.

Get a square meal at a banquet. Talk anything but business with a life insurance agent.

Find a hotel clerk without a diamond shirt stud.

Pick up a paper without reading something about "Wilhelm."

Hook his wife up the back in less than half an hour.

Gone Up in Smoke. Ten little resolutions, stanch and fine.

One let his foot slip for a briar, then there were nine.

Nine little resolutions, haughty and sedate.

One could resist a cigaret, then there were eight.

Eight little resolutions, praying up to heaven.

To spare the one who left their midst, and made their number seven.

Seven little resolutions, trying hard to mix.

One hastened for a three-for-five, then there were six.

Six little resolutions, good gracious alive!

One lighted his calabash, then there were five.

Five little resolutions, just five and not one more.

One fell for a puff of his jimmy pipe, then there were four.

Four little resolutions, solemn as one.

One could be a parlock of a pinch of snuff, then there were three.

Three little resolutions, wondering what to do.

One sneaked away to light a cheroot, then there were two.

Two little resolutions, missing all the fun.

One deserted for a chew, then there was one.

One little resolution, when the day wore danc.

It fell for a great big black cigar, then there was none.

Uncle Abner.

A man may wear a gallon hat to church on Sunday, but still take a widow's home from her on Monday.

When a man starts to go down hill there are plenty of friends ready to help him along.

A fellow who has got the gift of gab partially lands something even if it is only in jail.

The trouble in this country at the present time seems to be that the dinner pails are too large.

Some of the poetry a young fellow writes to his gal certainly sounds fine and dandy when she pulls it on him ten years after they are married.

APOLLO PLAYING TONIGHT

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## THE LADY AND THE PIRATE

By EMERSON HOUGH

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I met John coming down with the ninety-three. As he returned on deck a moment later I pushed about the



She Was a Vision of Lovely Sweetness.

doors and sprang the outside latches, so that those within now were prisoners indeed. And then I stood looking up at the stars, slowly beginning to see why God made the world.

Cal Davidson's taste in neckwear was a trifle vivid as compared with my own. Yet I rather liked his shirt, and in the morning I found a waistcoat of his which I could classify as possible; besides which I obtained from John, the cook, a suit of flannels I had given him four years ago and which he was saving against the day of his funeral and shipment back to China. So that, on the whole, I did rather well, and I was not ill content with life as I sat, with the "Pirate's Own Book" in my lap and Partis's head on my knee, looking over the passing panorama of the river.

I looked up to see Peterson, who touched his cap.

"Yes, Peterson?"

"We're on our last drum of gasoline, Mr. Harry," said he. "Where'll we put 'em, Baton Rouge?"

"No, we can't do that, Peterson," I answered. "Can't we make it to New Orleans?"

"Hardly. But they carry gas at most of these landings now—so many power boats and autos nowadays, you see."

"Very well. We'll pass Bayou Sara and Baton Rouge, and then you can run in at any landing you like, say, twenty miles or so below. Can you make it that far?"

"Oh, yes, but you see at Baton Rouge?"

"You may lay to long enough to mail these letters," said I, frowning, "but the custom of getting the baseball scores is now suspended. And send John here."

The old man touched his cap again, a trifle puzzled. I wondered if he recognized Davidson's waistcoat—he asked no more questions.

"John," said I to my Chinaman, "carry this to the ladies," and I handed him a card on which I had inscribed: "Black Bart's compliments, and he desires the attendance of the ladies on deck for a parley. At once."

John came back in a few moments and stood on one foot. "She says, she says, Miss Hally, she says no more."

"Letter have got John?"

"Lessah have got."

"Take it back. Say, at once."

"Lessah. At willance."

"Lessah," he said a few moments

later. "Catchee lettah, them lady," and she say, she say, go to hellee!"

"What! What's that, John? She said nothing of the sort?"

"Lessah, said them. No catchee word, that what she mean. Lady, one time she say, she say, go topside when have got plenty leady for come."

"Go back to your work, John," said I. And I waited with much dignity for perhaps ten minutes or so before I heard any signs of life from the after

suit. Then I heard the door pushed back and saw a head come out, a head with dark tendrils of hair at the temple. She was a vision of lovely sweetness, as thoroughbred as the Belle Helene herself.

### CHAPTER X.

In Which Is Further Parley With the Captive Maiden.

HELENA did not look at me, but studiously gazed across the river, pretended to yawn, idly looked back to see if she were followed, as she knew she was not to be.

At length she turned as she stepped along the deck. She was fresh as the dew itself and like a rose.

She turned, I say, and by mere chance and in great surprise discovered me, now cap in hand and bowing.

"Oh!" she remarked, very much surprised.

"Good morning, Eve," said I. "Have you used somebody's soap, or what is it that you have used? It is excellent."

A faint color came to her cheek; the corners of her bowed lips twitched.

"For a pirate or a person of no culture you do pretty well. As though a girl could sleep after all this hullabaloo!"

"You have slept very well," said I. "You never looked better in all your life, Helena. And that is saying the whole litany."

"You are absurd," said she. "You must not begin it all again. We settled it once."

"We settled it twenty times or, to be exact, thirteen times, Helena. The only trouble is it would not stay settled. Tell me, is there any one else yet, Helena?"

"It is not any question for you to ask or for me to answer." She was cold at once. "I've not tried to hear of you or your plans, and I suppose the same is true of you. It is long since I have had a headache over you. A headache is all you can give me now or ever could. That is why I cannot in the least understand why you are here now. Auntie is almost crazy, she is so frightened. She thinks you are entirely crazy and believes you have murdered Mr. Davidson."

"I have not yet done so, although it is true I am wearing his shoes or at least his waistcoat. How do you like it?"

"I like the one with pink stripes better," she replied demurely.

"So then—so then?" I began, but choked in anger at her familiarity with Cal Davidson's waistcoats. And my anger grew when I saw her smile.

"Tell me, are you engaged to him, Helena?" I demanded. "But I can see. You are." She drew herself up as she stood, her hands behind her back.

"A fine question to ask, isn't it? Especially in view of what we both know."

"But you haven't told me." "And am not going to."

"Why not?" "Because it is the right of a middle-aged woman like myself."

"Twenty-four," said I. "To do as she likes in such matters. And she doesn't need make any confidences with a man she hasn't seen for years. And for whom she never—she never—"

"Helena," said I, and I felt pale, whether or not I looked it, "be careful. That hurts."

"Oh, is it so?" she blazed. "I am glad if it does hurt."

I bowed to her. "I am glad if it gives you pleasure to see me hurt. I am, Hallelu!"

"But it was not so as to me," I added presently. "Yes, I said goodbye to you, that last time, and I meant it. I have tried for years, I believe, with every argument in my power, to explain to you that I loved you, to explain that in every human likelihood we would make a good match of it, that we—we—well, that we'd hit it off fine together, very likely. And then I was well enough off—at first, at least."

"Oh, don't!" she protested. "It is like opening a grave. We buried it all, Harry. It's over. Can't you spare a girl, a middle-aged girl of twenty-four, this resurrection? We ended it. Why, Harry, we have to make out some sort of life for ourselves, don't we? We can't just sit down and—"

"No," said I. "I tried it. I got me a little place far up in the wilderness with what remained of my shattered fortunes—a few acres. And I sat down there and tried that and—and—"

"It didn't seem to work. But we don't get on much in our parley, do we?"

"No. The most charitable thing I can think of is that you are crazy. But what do you intend to do with us? We can't get off the boat, and we can't get any answer to our signals for help."

"So you have signaled?" "Of course. Waved things, you know."

"Delightful! The passing steamers no doubt thought you a dissipated lot of northern-joy riders bound south on some rich man's yacht."

"Instead of two troubled women on a stolen boat."

"Are you engaged to Cal Davidson, Helena?"

"What earthly difference?" "True, none at all. As you say, I have stolen his boat, stolen his wine, stolen his fried potatoes, stolen his waistcoats. But, hear witness, I drew the line at his neckties. Nowhere else, however." And as I added this I looked at her narrowly.

"Will you put us ashore?" she asked, her color rising.

"No."

"We're coming to a town." "Baton Rouge, the capital of Louisiana, a quaint and delightful city of some 60,000 inhabitants. The surrounding country is largely devoted to the sugar industry. But we do not stop. Tell me, are you engaged?"

"But, suddenly, I saw her face, and on it was something of outraged dignity. I bent toward her eagerly.

"Forgive me! I never wanted to give you pain, Helena. Forget my improper question."

"Indeed?" "I've been fair with you. And that's

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"I remained released."

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"And what earthly right has a man to try both roles with a woman—that of discarded and accepted? You chose the first, and I never gave you the last."

It is horrible, this sort of talk. It is abominable. For three years we have not met or spoken. I've not had a headache since I told you. Put us ashore!"

"Not till I know the truth," said I. "About what?"

"Well, for instance, about the waistcoat with pink stripes."

"You are silly."

"Yes. How do you like my suit?"

"I never saw Mr. Davidson wear that one," said she.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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"I have derived relief from drinking a glass of salt water from the tide," said the invalid solemnly. "Do you think I might take a second?" Goodwin reflected deeply. "Well," he replied, with equal seriousness, "I don't think a second would be missed."

When a certain North Carolina jurist made his first appearance at the bar as a young lawyer he was given charge by the state solicitor of the prosecution of a man who was accused of some misdemeanor.

Although there was practically no evidence against the man, the youthful attorney did his best, but was astonished when the jury brought in a verdict of "guilty." After the trial one of the jurors tapped the young lawyer on the shoulder. "We didn't think the man was guilty," he explained, "but at the same time didn't like to discourage a young lawyer by acquitting him."

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February 24—Henry Loecker, Johnson, Wm. H. Rafter, auctioneer.

February 24—John E. Kennedy, near Brodhead, P. Moore, auctioneer.

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### LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF HEARING.  
STATE OF WISCONSIN, County Court for Rock County, In Probate.

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The application of George G. Sutherland to admit to Probate in this County, the Last Will and Testament of Sarah J. Peel, late of the City of Joliet, Will County, Illinois, deceased.

Dated February 17th, 1915.  
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Whitehead and Mathewson, Attorneys for the Administratrix.

### Rowing as a Lung Developer.

If you want to increase your lung capacity, and chest measurement go in for rowing, or if the weather is too cold for aquatic sports try an indoor rowing machine in the gymnasium. According to careful tests made among the members of the Berliner Ruder Verein (Berlin Rowing Club), the average lung capacity of the members of the heavy crew increased from 5,600 centimeters, or 842 cubic inches, to 5,775 cubic centimeters, or 882 cubic inches (3.12 per cent); for the light crew from 4,700 cubic centimeters, or 287 cubic inches, to 4,875 cubic centimeters, or 297 cubic inches, being at the rate of 3.72 per cent.

Other tests made in the Bonn gymnasium, where indoor rowing machines were in use, showed that the lung capacity was increased by rowing exercise from 3,388 cubic centimeters, or 207 cubic inches, to 3,803 cubic centimeters, or 232 cubic inches, an increase of 12.14 per cent. In Stuttgart the average increase was found to be from 3,533 cubic centimeters, or 233 cubic inches, to 4,290 cubic centimeters, or 262 cubic inches, being 11.49 per cent.

—New York World.

### His Valuation of Women.

Once at the table of Sir James Knowles, editor of the Nineteenth Century, the talk ran on the relative physical and mental value of women. Turning to Sir Ray Lankester, the aged prime minister (Mr. Gladstone) said: "I am of the opinion that the relative value of a man and a woman is in all classes of society about the same as it was in my grandfather's time in Jamaica. When they wanted to buy a negro they gave £120 for a man and £80 for a woman, and," he added, "that is a fair measure of their relative values the world over."

### One Solid Benefit.

"I tell you, sir, the great benefit of a college education lies in the friends you make." "That's so. No matter how old you are, if you have been through college you can always find some one to play poker or bet on the races, or go on a spree with."—Life.



VERY TAKING.  
"Does your dog take to strangers?"  
"You be he does! He took to one yesterday and we had a great deal of trouble to make him let go!"



There are always bargains in the classified columns.

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John Cunningham, Attorney for Petitioner.

### --And the Worst is yet to Come



### KING GEORGE



King George visits the front in France. Find another Englishman and a German.

### Abram-man.

It was at one time the practice to allow the inmates of the Abraham ward of Bethlehem hospital, London, to go about begging for the benefit of the hospital. Certain vagrants imposed on the charity by pretending to be actual inmates and were therefore known as Abram-men. Hence the term Abram-man, one who obtains money by shamming sickness.

### Common Practice.

As soon as some young fellows get what they think is going to be a steady job they begin to estimate the possible number of vacations they will get in a year.—Toledo Blade.

### Odd Stones.

At a sale recently held in London 48 semiprecious stones were sold, on each of which is a natural representation of human heads or animal or bird forms.

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## MILWAUKEE BOARD WANTS CIVIL SERVICE FOR COUNTY OFFICES

Committee After Investigation Makes Report Favoring Legislation Which Will Affect All Counties.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 18.—Legislative action which will vitally affect the politics of every county in Wisconsin is suggested by the report of the legislative committee of the City club, regarding employees of Milwaukee county.

According to the report, over one-third of the 600 county employees hold their jobs by virtue of political "pull." The legislative committee of the club

is preparing a bill, to be introduced during this term of the legislature, which will put practically every county employee in the state under civil service.

Included in the report were the following statements:

The county has 600 employees of whom only 40 are under civil service. The 40 employees who are under civil service have been on the county payrolls an average period of 3 years, while others have been on the payrolls an average of less than 3 years. The board of supervisors elects by ballot the elevator men and janitor at the court house.

All the male employees at the court house were discharged, for political reasons, in January, 1914, and inexperienced men appointed.

Deputy sheriffs average less than 2 years' experience, while city police officers average 11 years on the force. Every deputy sheriff was discharged, for political reasons, in January, 1913, and inexperienced men appointed. A

newly elected register of deeds let 16 experienced clerks go when he came into office, and substituted inexperienced men.

A newly elected clerk of circuit courts turned out every employee in that office when he came in.

The payrolls of the sheriff, clerk of the circuit court, register of deeds, district attorney, coroner, county clerk, and county treasurer in June, 1914, revealed the report says, that the great majority of the employees appointed by these elected executives, began their service in January, 1913. This is due, it says, to the fact that the political control of the county changed at that date. It was also alleged that a number of employees had been discharged in January, 1911, and re-employed in January, 1913. If these men were efficient, says the committee, they should not have been discharged in 1911; if they were inefficient, they should not have been employed in 1913.

Neither the last sheriff nor the

undersheiff had had any experience in the service previous to taking office in January, 1913, continues the report.

The superior officers in the police force, however, average 19 years experience on the force. The chief has been in the service 37 years, and all inspectors, captains, and lieutenants of police in this city have been with the department at least six years.

Deputies receive \$1,200 a year from the beginning of their service; policemen receive only \$960 the first year and only \$1,140 after six years. The county thus pays about \$10,000 more a year than would be paid under the city scale.

The committee concludes with the following declaration:

"Competent, trained men and women should be selected for county positions. Faithful services should be rewarded, not by discharge, but by permanent employment, increased salary, and whenever practicable, by promotion. Knowledge of old records and transactions is invaluable to the ad-

ministration of the office. Many county duties require familiarity with certain laws. And yet, the voters to- day, a system which brings about the discharge of county employees just when they have learned enough about their work to become really valuable in the service. Such a system should be changed at once."

**MISS HAZEL STEWART WEDS CLARENCE LAWTON MONDAY**

Albion, Feb. 17.—On Monday evening at eight o'clock Miss Hazel Marie Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stewart, was united in marriage to Clarence Lawton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lawton, of this village, at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Sayre reading the marriage vows. Miss Lottie Ehenfeldt, a friend of the bride attended her as bridesmaid. Mr. Lawton was attended by Wayland Green, a friend of the groom.

The bride wore a white crepe de

chine trimmed with shadow lace. Her bouquet was of white roses. Miss Ehenfeldt was dressed in white and carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Immediately after the ceremony a delicious supper was served in the dining room by the Misses Marjorie Bliven, Edna Emerson, Ruth Stillman, Vine Noble. The room was tastefully decorated in green and white and red roses.

Heartiest congratulations are extended by all. They departed on a short wedding trip.

The Albion academy team went over to Milton Tuesday night, where they were defeated in a game of basketball by the Milton Junction team by a score of 32 to 34.

The Willing Workers' society was entertained at Mrs. George Walter's Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Emma Hileson fell Wednesday evening and sprained her ankle.

Master Walter Kreuger is on the sick list.

Professor Torgenson of the acad-

emy is in Madison this week on business.

Harry Lawton is visiting his parents in this village.

The Edgerton boys were up Wednesday evening and played a game of basketball with the Albion eighth grade boys. The score resulted in a victory for the Albion boys of 12 to 18.

A number from here attended the fireman's ball at Edgerton Monday evening. An enjoyable time was reported by all.

Miss Elizabeth Stark visited friends in Milwaukee and Chicago over the week end.

**Daily Thought.**

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